

<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)</b> Applicant(s): JAY S. WALKER ET AL.				Docket No. 00-012	
Application No. 00-012	Filing Date June 13, 2000	Examiner Igor N. Borissov	Customer No. 22927	Group Art Unit 3639	Confirmation No. 5604

Invention: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING A BENEFIT DURING A TRANSACTION FOR USE DURING A LATER TRANSACTION**

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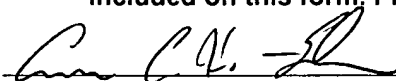
☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**  
**to the Non-final Office Action mailed November 4, 2005**

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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Non-final Office Action mailed November 4, 2005, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Following is a detailed listing of all claims that are, or were, in the application. A status identifier is provided for every claim and the current text of every claim is presented, unless the claim has been cancelled or not entered. Current amendments to the claims are expressed in the detailed listing by strikethrough or double brackets (for deleted matter) or underlining (for added matter).